

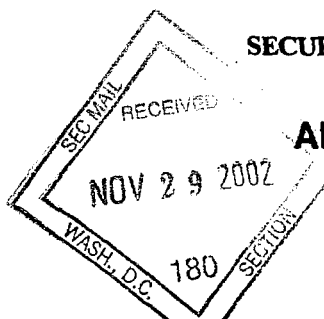


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Washington, D.C. 20549



**ANNUAL AUDITED REPORT
FORM X-17A-5
PART III**

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**Information Required of Brokers and Dealers Pursuant to Section 17 of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 Thereunder**

REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 9/1/01 AND ENDING 8/31/02
MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY

A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER:

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FIRM ID. NO.

ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)

400 112th AVE. NE #350

(No. and Street)

BELLEVUE

WASHINGTON

98004

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT

MARY ANN ALLEN

(425) 455-1040

(Area Code — Telephone No.)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report*

GREENWOOD, OHLUND & CO. LLP

(Name — if individual, state last, first, middle name)

1445 NW 56th ST

SEATTLE WASHINGTON

98107

(Address)

(City)

(State)

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CHECK ONE:

- ☒ Certified Public Accountant
☐ Public Accountant
☐ Accountant not resident in United States or any of its possessions.

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*Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report be covered by the opinion of an independent public accountant must be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption. See section 240.17a-5(e)(2).

OATH OR AFFIRMATION

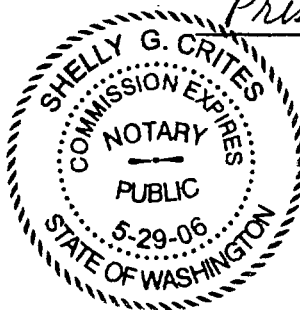
I, MARY ANN ALLEN, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of ABACUS SECURITIES CORPORATION, as of 8/31, ~~19~~2002, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:

State of Washington
County of King

MaryAnn Allen
Signature

President
Title

Shelly G. Crites
Notary Public
My appointment expires: 5-29-06



This report** contains (check all applicable boxes):

- ☒ (a) Facing page.
- ☒ (b) Statement of Financial Condition.
- ☒ (c) Statement of Income (Loss).
- ☒ (d) Statement ~~of Changes in Financial Condition~~ Cash Flows.
- ☒ (e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Partners' or Sole Proprietor's Capital.
- ☐ (f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors.
- ☒ (g) Computation of Net Capital
- ☐ (h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
- ☒ (i) Information Relating to the Possession or control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3.
- ☐ (j) A Reconciliation, including appropriate explanation, of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
- ☐ (k) A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of consolidation.
- ☒ (l) An Oath or Affirmation.
- ☐ (m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.
- ☐ (n) A report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.
- ☒ (o) Independent Auditor's report on internal accounting controls.

**For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

ABACUS SECURITIES CORPORATION
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION
AUGUST 31, 2002

ASSETS

Cash	\$ 23,230
Commissions receivable	2,595
Common stock investment, at fair value	8,500
Prepaid expenses	5,005
Property and equipment (Note 2)	<u>5,823</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u><u>\$ 45,153</u></u>

LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY

LIABILITIES

Commissions payable	\$ 158
Federal income tax payable - current	880
Federal income tax payable - deferred	<u>924</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>1,962</u>

COMMITMENTS (Note 7)

STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY

Common stock, no par value: 50,000 shares authorized, 1,000 shares issued and outstanding	4,500
Retained earnings	<u>38,691</u>
TOTAL STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY	<u>43,191</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY	<u><u>\$ 45,153</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

ABACUS SECURITIES CORPORATION
STATEMENT OF INCOME
YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2002

REVENUE

Commissions - listed transactions	\$ 7,730
Commissions - mutual funds	125,212
Other commissions and fees	<u>140,166</u>
Total revenue	<u>273,108</u>

EXPENSES

Commissions	95,027
Salaries and wages	71,795
Employee benefits	14,391
Advertising	4,452
Dues and subscriptions	5,878
Regulatory fees	2,016
Equipment rent	1,197
Insurance and bond expense	2,714
Legal and accounting	4,400
Rent - office	23,428
Repairs and maintenance	2,570
Business and payroll taxes	10,834
Depreciation and amortization	5,715
Printing	3,278
Travel, entertainment and sales expenses	4,428
Telephone and utilities	4,647
Office expenses and postage	11,402
Other expenses	<u>1,388</u>
Total expenses	<u>269,560</u>

INCOME FROM OPERATIONS

3,548

OTHER INCOME (EXPENSE)

Interest income	<u>1,160</u>
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INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES

4,708

PROVISION FOR FEDERAL INCOME TAXES (Note 3)820

NET INCOME

\$ 3,888

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

ABACUS SECURITIES CORPORATION
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY
YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2002

	<u>Common Stock</u>		<u>Retained</u>	
	<u>Shares</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Earnings</u>	<u>Total</u>
Balance, August 31, 2001	1,000	\$ 4,500	\$ 34,803	\$ 39,303
Net income, year ended August 31, 2002	-	-	3,888	3,888
Balance, August 31, 2002	<u>1,000</u>	<u>\$ 4,500</u>	<u>\$ 38,691</u>	<u>\$ 43,191</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

ABACUS SECURITIES CORPORATION
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2002

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:

Net income	\$ 3,888
Adjustments to reconcile net income to cash provided by operating activities:	
Depreciation and amortization	5,715
Changes in assets and liabilities:	
Commissions receivable increase	(1,303)
Prepaid expenses decrease	1,052
Commissions payable decrease	(636)
Federal income taxes payable increase	78
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Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	8,794

CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:

Maturity of time certificate	18,020
Payments for equipment and furniture	(4,220)
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Net Cash Used in Investing Activities	13,800

NET INCREASE IN CASH	22,594
CASH, beginning of year	636
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CASH, end of year	\$ 23,230

SUPPLEMENTAL REQUIRED INFORMATION:

The Company paid \$742 in Federal income taxes during the year.

ABACUS SECURITIES CORPORATION
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AUGUST 31, 2002

NOTE 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

General:

Abacus Securities Corporation ("the Company"), is a broker and dealer in securities located in Bellevue, Washington, and is a member of the National Association of Security Dealers. The Company deals primarily in mutual funds and clears all customer individual stock and bond transactions through Clearing Services of America.

Cash:

Cash includes checking accounts and money market accounts.

Commissions Receivable:

An allowance for doubtful commissions receivable has not been provided, as it is management's opinion that all amounts are collectible.

Furniture, Equipment and Tenant Improvements:

Furniture, equipment and tenant improvements are stated at cost. Furniture, equipment and tenant improvements are depreciated using the straight-line method with estimated useful lives of three to seven years for financial reporting purposes, while expense elections under IRS Section 179 or estimated useful lives of 5 to 39 years are utilized for tax purposes.

Federal Income Taxes:

The Company determines income for Federal income tax purposes on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements. The Company uses the accrual method to determine income for financial reporting purposes. The Company uses accelerated depreciation for tax reporting and straight-line depreciation for financial reporting. Deferred income taxes are provided for temporary differences resulting from the recognition of income and expenses for financial reporting purposes in different periods than for tax purposes.

Advertising Costs:

Advertising costs are expensed as they are incurred.

ABACUS SECURITIES CORPORATION
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AUGUST 31, 2002

NOTE 2 – Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are comprised of the following at August 31, 2002:

Furniture and fixtures	\$ 10,851
Tenant improvements	8,111
Data processing equipment	<u>26,778</u>
	45,740
Less accumulated depreciation	<u>39,917</u>
	<u>\$ 5,823</u>

NOTE 3 - Federal Income Taxes

The provision for Federal income taxes is comprised of \$880 that is currently payable and a \$60 decrease in deferred taxes payable.

NOTE 4 - Net Capital Requirements

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule (Rule 15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1. At August 31, 2002, the Company had net capital of \$23,863, which was \$18,863 in excess of its required net capital of \$5,000. The Company's net capital ratio was .04 to 1 at August 31, 2002.

NOTE 5 - Related Party Transactions

The Company shares office space with Abacus Financial Corp., a company related through common ownership. An agreement provided for the payment to Abacus Financial Corp. of management fees for services rendered. The Company paid no fees to the affiliated company during the fiscal year. In addition, certain common expenses were allocated by management between the two affiliated companies on the basis of relative occupancy, usage and other factors.

NOTE 6 – Use of Estimates

Management uses estimates and assumptions in preparing financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities, and the reported revenues and expenses. Actual results could vary from the estimates that were assumed in preparing the financial statements.

ABACUS SECURITIES CORPORATION
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AUGUST 31, 2002

NOTE 7 - Operating Leases

The Company, along with Abacus Financial Corp., leases office space under terms of a lease effective August 1997 which provided for monthly payments of approximately \$3,900 through July 2002, and which was amended to renew the lease for two years commencing August 1, 2002 and provides for a one year renewal option. The lease provides for minimum monthly payments of \$3,400 per month with annual increase of \$1.00 per square foot. Lease expense was \$23,428 for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2002.

The Company also leases a copy machine under terms of a lease that provides for 24 monthly payments of \$387 beginning August 2002. Lease expense was \$647 for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2002. The following is a schedule by years of future minimum payments due under operating leases as of August 31, 2002:

Fiscal year ending August 31,	
2003	\$ 45,614
2004	43,527

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

PURSUANT TO RULE 17a-5 OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

AUGUST 31, 2002

Schedule IABACUS SECURITIES CORPORATIONComputation of Net Capital under Rule 15c3-1
of the Securities and Exchange CommissionAUGUST 31, 2002Net Capital

Total stockholders' equity	\$ 43,191
Deduct non-allowable assets:	
Prepaid expenses	(5,005)
Property, equipment and tenant improvements, net	<u>(5,823)</u>
Net capital before haircuts on securities positions	32,363
Haircuts on securities (computed, where applicable, pursuant to Rule 15c3-1(f))	<u>(8,500)</u>
Net capital	<u><u>\$ 23,863</u></u>

Aggregate Indebtedness

Included in statement of financial condition:	
Commissions payable	\$ 158
Federal income taxes payable	<u>880</u>
Total aggregate indebtedness	<u><u>\$ 1,038</u></u>

Computation of Basic Net Capital Requirement:

Minimum net capital required:

6-2/3% of total aggregate indebtedness	(A) <u>\$ 69</u>
Minimum dollar net capital requirement	(B) <u>\$ 5,000</u>
Greater of (A) or (B)	<u><u>\$ 5,000</u></u>
Excess net capital	<u><u>\$ 18,863</u></u>
Excess net capital at 1000%	<u><u>\$ 23,759</u></u>

<u>Ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital</u>	<u><u>4.35%</u></u>
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The above net capital computation differs from the computation of net capital included in the FOCUS Part IIA filed by the Company as of August 31, 2002, as it was decreased by a federal income tax adjustment of \$386.

Schedule IIABACUS SECURITIES CORPORATIONComputation of Reserve Requirements Under
Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and
Exchange CommissionAUGUST 31, 2002

The Company is exempt from Rule 15c3-3 under section (k)(2)(ii), as it clears all customer individual stock and bond transactions through Clearing Services of America on a fully disclosed basis.

Schedule IIIABACUS SECURITIES CORPORATIONInformation for Possession or Control
Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3 of the
Securities and Exchange CommissionAUGUST 31, 2002

The Company is exempt from Rule 15c3-3 under section (k)(2)(ii), as it clears all customer individual stock and bond transactions through Clearing Services of America on a fully disclosed basis.

ABACUS SECURITIES CORPORATION
INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL ACCOUNTING
CONTROLS REQUIRED BY SEC RULE 17a-5

October 18, 2002

To the Board of Directors
Abacus Securities Corporation
Bellevue, Washington

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements and supplemental schedules of Abacus Securities Corporation for the year ended August 31, 2002, we considered its internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control.

Also as required by rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in rule 17a-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness and net capital under rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of rule 15c3-3. Because Abacus Securities Corporation does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by Abacus Securities Corporation in any of the following:

1. Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications, and comparisons
2. Recordation of differences required by rule 17a-13
3. Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining an internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable but not absolute assurance that assets for which Abacus Securities Corporation has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition, and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and record properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the proceeding paragraph.

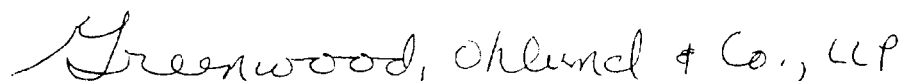
Because of inherent limitations in any internal control or the practices and procedures referred to above, errors or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

Board of Directors
Abacus Securities Corporation
October 18, 2002
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Our consideration of the internal control would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of the specific internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that error or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, we noted no matters involving the internal control structure, including control activities for safeguarding securities that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study we believe that Abacus Securities Corporation practices and procedures were adequate at August 31, 2002, to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management and the SEC and other regulatory agencies that rely on rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.



Greenwood, Ohlund & Co., LLP
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Seattle, Washington

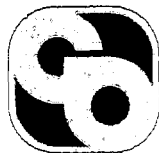
ABACUS SECURITIES CORPORATION

FINANCIAL REPORT

AUGUST 31, 2002

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

October 18, 2002

To the Board of Directors
Abacus Securities Corporation
Bellevue, Washington

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Abacus Securities Corporation as of August 31, 2002, and the related statements of income, changes in stockholder's equity, and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Abacus Securities Corporation as of August 31, 2002, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information contained on pages 2, 10, 11 and 12 is presented for purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by Rule 17a-5 under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

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